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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

8 MICKEY ALONZO BRYANT,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 KING COUNTY CORRECTIONAL
FACILITY,

12 Defendant.
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CASE NO. C17-1153-JLR-MAT

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO
PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS AND
DIRECTING INSTITUTION TO
CALCULATE, COLLECT, AND
FORWARD PAYMENTS

14 Plaintiff filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* (IFP) in this 42 U.S.C. § 1983
15 action. Having reviewed that application, the Court finds and ORDERS:

16 (1) Plaintiff's application indicates he is unable to afford the Court's filing fee or give
17 security therefor. Accordingly, plaintiff's application to proceed IFP is **GRANTED**. **As set forth**
18 **below, an initial partial filing fee will be collected, and thereafter each month plaintiff is**
19 **required to pay 20 percent of the preceding month's income credited to his account until the**
20 **full amount of the filing fee is satisfied.**

21 (2) Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915 and plaintiff's approved application to proceed IFP,
22 the institution having custody of the above-named plaintiff is directed to calculate an initial partial
23 filing fee equal to 20 percent of the greater of either: (1) the average monthly deposits to the

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1 prisoner's account; or (2) the average monthly balance in the prisoner's account for the 6-month
2 period immediately preceding the date of this Order. The initial partial filing fee should be
3 forwarded to the Clerk as soon as possible.

4 Subsequently, if the prisoner's account exceeds \$10.00, each month the financial officer of
5 the correctional facility is directed to collect and forward payments equal to 20 percent of the
6 prisoner's preceding month's income credited to the prisoner's account. In the event that the
7 monthly payment would reduce the prisoner's account below \$10.00, the financial officer should
8 collect and forward only that amount which would reduce the prisoner's account to the \$10.00
9 level. This \$10.00 limit does not apply to the initial partial filing fee described above. Finally, the
10 monthly payments should be collected and forwarded to the court until the entire filing fee **\$350.00**
11 for this matter has been paid.

12 (3) The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this order to plaintiff, to the Financial
13 Administrator of the Court, and to the financial officer of the correctional facility having custody
14 of plaintiff.

15 DATED this 7th day of September, 2017.

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18 Mary Alice Theiler
19 United States Magistrate Judge
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